

Ministry and Care Committee Report
SCYM Representatives' Meeting
November 19, 2022

Coordinating the annual State of the Meeting Reports has been the main action of the Ministry and Care Committee during the beginning years of the Covid-19 Pandemic. We basically functioned as a list on the YM roster. The committee members choose their own clerk and no leadings came forth during the last two years. With gentle urging from YM Clerk Karen Takemoto, Pam Arnold prayerfully considered her suggestion and did come forward to serve.

The committee is looking forward to actively connecting with our Monthly Meetings in the months between now and Yearly Meeting in the spring. We will be contacting folks by phone, email, maybe Zoom and possibly even some visitation. It is hoped that by being more interactive with Friends throughout the YM, our Monthly Meetings will be cared for in ways that might negate emergency calls needed when problems arise. We will be addressing a concern brought to our attention about people who do not live in our geographic area but claim membership in SCYM. This will probably involve some specific wording to be added to the Procedures Manual. Our goal is to have recommendations ready to present at YM-2023.

We will also re-introduce the Boeger Fund and the Spiritual Enrichment Fund to our Monthly Meetings and encourage Friends to discern if these funds might be useful in enriching their spiritual lives.

Respectfully submitted by:
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SCYM Ministry and Care Committee